

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN  
SOUTHERN DIVISION

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EASTERN MICHIGAN

GENERAL SPORTS TURF, LLC,

Plaintiff,

v.

Case No. 04-60241

IIION. MARIANNE O. BATTANI

FIELDTURF INTERNATIONAL, INC. and  
FILEDTURF, INC.,

Defendants.

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**ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE**

Before the Court is Plaintiff's Complaint, filed on November 1, 2004. The Court hereby **ORDERS** Plaintiff to **SHOW CAUSE** that this suit is appropriately filed in this venue when an identical suit has already been initiated by Defendants in the United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois, Eastern Division. In addition, Plaintiff is instructed to address specifically why it initiated this parallel proceeding before seeking a transfer of venue in the first suit. **Plaintiff is to respond in writing within seven (7) days of receipt of this order.**

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

*Marianne O. Battani*  
MARIANNE O. BATTANI  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

DATED: November *2*, 2004

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

Copies of this Order were mailed to John A. Artz and Jody L. Factor on this date by  
ordinary mail.

  
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